

M'CORMACK MAKES BIG PAYMENT ON CLIFFORD PROPERTY

Was Some Days Before Due--Preparations Being Made for Extensive Development of Rich Helena Mine

J. C. McCormack, president of the Broken Hills Mining company, came over from Goldfield yesterday afternoon in his auto and returned later on in the evening. The chief object of Mr. McCormack's visit was to make a big payment on the mine, which he deposited with the Tonopah Banking corporation. The payment would have fallen due on December 24 and was made eight days ahead of the specified time, and was deposited to the credit of Ed Clifford, Sr., Ed Clifford, Jr., John W. Clifford and James Clifford, the original owners of the property.

The company has been operating on the property since October and has been making regular shipments of high grade. It is sinking two vertical shafts, one of which is already equipped with a hoist and the machinery for the second is being installed. The 115-foot shaft, which was worked by the former owners, is being extended to the 300-foot level and will be made the company's principal working shaft. There has already been exposed in these workings twenty feet of ore that will average \$25 a ton, besides considerable ore of a high shipping value. The new shaft which the company sunk has opened up one of the finest bodies of ore ever discovered in Nevada and it is from this ledge that the high grade is being taken for shipment to this city. The ore body at present is thirty-five feet in width. The two shafts are 200 feet distant and both veins are separate.

In speaking of the property yesterday, Mr. McCormack stated: "The mill which the company will erect will be in operation by the first of March. I am now having tests made of the ore in Denver by a prominent metallurgist of that city and the best process for extracting the values will be used. The company has also employed the services of Charles Keating, a prominent mining engineer of Goldfield and formerly of South America, and he is now on the ground conducting experiments. There is an abundance of water for both the mill use and the townsite as we have three springs within eight miles of the camp. One of the springs has a capacity of 15,000 gallons per day and it will probably be from this one that the pipe line will be constructed."

"Negotiations have been under-

way for some time toward the erection of a telephone line from Helena to Tonopah. This line will be built by the company and will probably take in the camps of Golden Arrow, Silver Bow and Bellehelen, as at present they are also without telephonic communication. This should be finished before the middle of January and will help greatly toward the working of the property. Only enough ore will be shipped from the mine to take care of the cost of operations and the ore blocked out will be held in reserve for treatment in the mill."

STOCK MARKET

The following quotations are furnished by the reliable brokerage firm of Kenneth Donnellan & Co.:

Wednesday, December 16.		
Tonopah District.		
Tonopah Nevada.	\$6.80	\$6.85
Montana	.....	.82
Tonopah Ex.	.....	.50
MacNamara	.....	.33
Midway	.....	.18
Belmont	.....	.89
North Star	.....	.04
West End	.....	.30
Rescue	.....	.03
Jim Butler	.....	.17
Goldfield District.		
Columbia Mt.	.....	.17
Booth	.....	.28
Blue Bull	.....	.12
Lone Star	.....	.05
Atlanta	.....	.16
Great Bend	.....	.26
Empire	.....	.02
Florence	4.50	4.52 1/2
Diamondfield Con.	.....	.11
Daisy	.....	.76
Great Bend An.	.....	.05
Fraction	1.92 1/2	1.85
Kewanas	.....	.25
Consolidated	8.15	8.17 1/2
C. O. D.	.....	.30
Crackerjack	.....	.05
Red Hills	.....	.19
Grandma	.....	.05
Florence Ex.	.....	.08
Yellow Tiger	.....	.15
Bullfrog District.		
Amethyst	.....	.02
Homestake Con.	.....	.09
Other Districts.		
Pitts. Sil. Pk.	.83	.85

THE ORE WORTH DOLLAR A POUND

MAZUMA, Dec. 16.—Ore that goes \$1 a pound was encountered yesterday at the 105-foot level of the Black and Campbell lease on the Seven Troughs Wild Bull, in Wild Horse canyon. They have been sinking a vertical shaft, and the vein, pitching to the east, came into the shaft. This is the same vein which was encountered and followed at the sixty-foot level, the ore assaying as high as \$12,000 a ton.

At the sixty-foot level a crosscut was run to the vein and the latter was drifted on for thirty feet, when it was decided to resume sinking. There is still high grade ore in the drift, and the vein, eight feet in width, will produce good milling ore all through. Only a few days ago some very rich float was picked up at the bottom of the hill on the lease, and this was followed until another vein was encountered, paralleling the vein on which they have been working. Sinking in the shaft will be continued, and a crosscut driven from the present level to cut the new vein.

Work is to be resumed in the main workings of the Wild Bull on the first of the year. The shaft is down 115 feet, at which depth work had to be suspended on account of water coming in. At that level they had great ore in the shaft. One streak on the west wall is eight inches wide, and went \$200 a ton. On the east wall they have four inches of ruby silver and free gold, which also went very high in values. There are three feet of gangue which gives excellent milling returns. The company lacks the means to fight the water, and was compelled to desist; but they are now prepared to go on with the work without interruption. The Wild Bull promises to be another great mine of the Seven Troughs district.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore known as Haukes & Kelty, liquor dealers, at Millers, Nevada, was dissolved December 9, 1908, John Haukes retiring from the firm. All indebtedness of said late firm will be paid by Dave Kelty, who will continue the business.

JOHN HAUKES,
DAVE KELTY.

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BIG MARKET MOVEMENTS ARE PREDICTED

Under date of December 11, O. F. Jonasson and company, a prominent New York brokerage concern, make the following prediction as to the future interest in mining stocks:

"The big banking interests and the big men generally are undoubtedly looking forward to the first several months of the new year as being likely to see the biggest market movement in all good securities that this country has ever known, and, with this in view, they are buying at prevailing market quotations all classes of securities of merit with the idea of disposing of them on the advance that is almost sure to occur beginning almost immediately, but certainly within the next few weeks. Business conditions are continually improving, and the country is in a more prosperous condition than it has ever been heretofore. Prices, in our opinion, are just beginning to advance, and mining securities, for the first time, will take their place, as they deserve, with railroad and industrial issues as mediums of investments."

"The past few days have witnessed a quiet but erratic market, and most of this activity was in the stocks selling at around the dollar mark."

JUDGE GARBER IS BURIED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 16.—The funeral of the late Judge John Garber was held from the family residence in Berkeley this afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. E. L. Parsons of St. Mark's Episcopal church and Rev. G. G. Eldridge of St. Johns Presbyterian church; interment in Mountain View cemetery. Many prominent men who associated with the deceased acted as honorary pall-bearers.

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AUSTIN MILL NOW READY.

The Austin and Holbrook mill which has been under course of erection for several months is now ready for crushing. The machinery was given a preliminary trial the early part of this week and was found to be in perfect running order.

The mill is a two stamp affair and will crush about fourteen tons daily. It was erected solely to treat the ores of the leases in which the owners are interested and will increase the production of the camp considerably.

Enterprising promoters are to be congratulated for their up-to-date business methods.—Chafey News.

ACTIVITY AT ROUND MOUNTAIN.

Announcement has been made that the Round Mountain Central Mining company would begin active operations at once. The work will be done by contract, according to information given out by G. S. Johnson and S. C. Burr. It is proposed to sink a shaft near the Fairview and Daisy lines, with a view of cutting these ledge systems. The first contract calls for fifty feet depth. While this work is in progress it will allow of hauling in a galloos frame and power hoist, and then sinking will be continued without interruption.

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NOTICE.

Gale and Fitzgerald, who formerly conducted the Brokers Exchange barber shop, have moved to the basement of the State Bank and Trust company building, where they will be pleased to meet their old customers and also new ones. They will also conduct the Hammam baths, which will remain open all night.

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